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INFORMATION PROCESSING APPARATUS, CHARGE  
CALCULATING METHOD, RECORDING MEDIUM, AND  
PROGRAM

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 10, 2006, please amend the  
above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins  
on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.